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1. In order to clarify the situation with regard to the different Communist parties now existing in Colombia, and to correct any confusion which may have arisen from a reading of [REDACTED] or any previous dissemination on the split which occurred in the Partido Socialista Democratico on 22 July 1947, [REDACTED] the 7-13 September issue of Vanguardia, organ of the Partido Comunista de Colombia (PCC), announced the dissolution of the Movimiento Reorganico del Partido Comunista de Colombia.

2. The Vanguardia article stated that the Executive Committee of the PCC announced the dissolution of the so-called "Reorganic Movement of the Communist Party of Colombia," and the incorporation of the latter into the PCC. Public declarations by members of the Reorganic Movement are reported to have confirmed this dissolution.

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[REDACTED] The Reorganic Movement of the Communist Party of Colombia is the full name of the group of dissidents led by Diego Montana Cuellar and consisted mostly of Bucaramanga oil workers. It is understood that Montana himself has not yet joined any Communist group, although all of his followers are now officially members of the PCC.

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[REDACTED] The above information means that there are now only two basic factions among the Communists of Colombia: the Partido Comunista de Colombia, led by Gilberto Vieira White, and the Partido Comunista Obrero, led by Augusto Duran.

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